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To the editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

The communication I made to you the other day was complimentary to our Senators for their support of the bill appropriating for the "Centennial Exhibition." I stated that unblended, true integrity in rags and on foot was a thousand times better than crick and duplicity in silk and velvet, with coach and outrider, and that if our public servants would follow the light inspired by such patriotism we might hope for Virginia's redemption.

But oh! alas! subsequent events have dashed to the ground all the hopes induced by their seeming patriotism. It is really true that what has been published in your valuable paper for the last week or more, describing events in our high places by distinguished characters, is to be taken as the standard of Virginia's morality? Is the character of our Legislature of courts and representatives in our Legislature, who have been actors and victims in the events described in your paper, to be considered as that of Virginia's most distinguished men? If so, how do they compare with the former honorable members of Virginia!

Such has been and still is said about encouraging immigration and capital into this State, and certainly such is highly important.

But do you suppose that respectable immigration or capital, or skill, will come where judges their constant employment, and where the Legislature to impeach them? Or where legislators can be dragged by such judges, or that so large a portion of the Legislature is implicated, so much so, that they dare not throw the first stone? One kind of capital, of course, invest largely under such circumstances. Capital is not gold; as evidence, where could the Hon. Morrissey more skillfully invest his capital than close by a Legislature or Court of Jurisprudence, composed of such as the foregoing. Corruption can be seen on an old dead horse as well as on our buzzards or anti-type, such as to encourage honorable capital or skill to be victimized by such legislation or protected by such Courts? I ask the foregoing questions, because to me it seems important to know what we are about, and something of where we are fettered, before we commit ourselves in trying to encourage immigration or capital flowing into Virginia.

We came here with all the ardor of a youthful lover, partially because of Virginia's honorable antiquity. We feel assured that the State has many more excellent men; we are glad that some of them are brought to the front; but we wish from our heart that public sentiment was more discriminating in its selection of public servants. It is awful to witness apologies for wicked men in high places, especially when it is so important that all our public servants should be our very best. Respectfully, etc.,  
JOHN MASON.

WOODLAWN, VA., Jan. 31, 1876.

**TRANSPORTATION OF CATTLE.**—A special Washington telegram to the Alexandria Gazette says: "On Wednesday next the House Committee on Agriculture will meet to hear the statement of all parties interested in the transportation of cattle. At their last meeting Mr. Allison, of Chicago, who ships twenty-five per cent of the cattle from that city, stated that five or six years ago it was not thought profitable to keep cattle in cars longer than twenty-four hours without water and rest. A class of speculators entered into the shipping business who controlled fully one-half of the number of beefs sent to the seaboard, and they did not allow time for either rest or water. On reaching New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore the cattle in a feverish condition were allowed to drink all the water they wanted, and so doing would imbibe from sixty to seventy pounds of water, for which the purchaser had to pay, besides sending into the market meat that was in a state of putrefaction. Competition had compelled men who opposed such treatment to do the same thing. The committee regarding this subject as an important one to all classes, has also invited legal opinion upon the right of Congress to legislate to the effect of requiring railroad companies to give cattle in transit at least seven hours' rest out of twenty-four."

"The peace of the Republic of Liberia is somewhat disturbed by the question of color. President Roberts is much embarrassed on this account, the fact of his not being of pure African blood being objectionable to many. One who is an intelligent negro from the West Indies is the principal agitator, who seeks to establish a color test, taking the side of the blacks against those of a lighter complexion. The orderly of the Liberians would rejoice if they could be relieved of the leader in this course of mischief."

There is a wide-spread temperance revival in progress in New England. At Gloucester, Mass., lately, there was a temperance parade of 1,500 men, nearly all of whom have signed the pledge within the past six weeks. At Marblehead two hundred signed the pledge Wednesday evening. Temperance demonstrations are reported in many other places throughout New England.

The other day a minister offered prayer at the laying of a corner stone. A brisk young reporter bustled up and said: "I wish you would give me the manuscript of that prayer." "I never wrote out my prayers," said the preacher. "Well," said the reporter, "I couldn't hear a word you said." "I wasn't praying to you," quickly responded the parson.

**LEAP YEAR AND GRAY HORSES.**—There is a belief prevalent in some rural districts of England that during leap year the girl who counts all the gray horses she sees until she reaches the number of one hundred that style of animal will be married to the first gentleman with whom she shakes hands after counting the last horse.

**COGNITION MERCHANTS.**  
**P. B. HOUE,**  
(Successor to Fowle & Co.)  
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET.  
GENERAL COMMISSION AND MERCH.  
Dealer in all kinds of  
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER  
Agent of the  
NEW YORK & BALTIMORE STEAMERS  
Also of the  
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.  
Feb 5-14

**J. C. & E. MILBURN,**  
Wholesale and Retail  
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS.  
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention. Jan 2

**R. M. LAWSON,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
No. 69 Cameron street,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds.  
Cash advances made on grain in store.  
Consignments solicited. aug 3

**R. B. LAWSON & CO.,**  
(Successors to R. M. Lawson.)  
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,  
No. 67 Cameron street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 8

**THOMAS PERKY,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT  
AND AGENT FOR  
THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,  
No. 17 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 16-17

**GEO. WASHINGTON, R. J. WASHINGTON,  
WASHINGTON & BROTHER,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
No. 20 UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made. ap 24

**W. A. SMOOT,**  
DEALER IN  
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER.  
SMOOT'S WHARF.  
(Foot of Princess st.)  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
feb 21-14

**SHINN & CO**  
(Successors to Samuel Hartley.)  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
No. 13 Union street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, CHANDLERY, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.

Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brand of FLOUR.  
Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP" HYDRAULIC CEMENT.  
J. JANNEY & CO.,  
No. 11 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.  
Wholesale Dealers in  
GROCERIES,  
LIQUORS,  
PROVISIONS,  
SALT FISH,  
and PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lumps and Ship and Naval Stores.  
Down prices on all styles of Goods—Monday, Dec 27, 1875. We are constantly receiving large additions to our stock and every department is complete. All goods purchased here will be sold at popular prices.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
H. B. HOOMES.

**NOTICE.**  
In order to close out our stock of  
BOYS' AND YOUTHS' BOOTS,  
We will sell them at  
PRIME COST.  
All in need will do well to call at 74 King st.  
Jan 4  
W. B. WADDEY.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—Our accounts are made out to the 1st of January, 1876, and will be presented at once. We hope our friends will respond promptly.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Jan 4

**LANCASTER CAMBRICS.**  
January 6th, 1876.  
Received to-day a beautiful line of the above goods. Prices 10 cts.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Jan 6

**NOTICE!**  
This day received a large supply of  
GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER, and BOSCHER'S GERMAN SYRUP—A Genuine Conquerer. Also some sample bottles.  
W. F. CRIGHTON,  
85 King street,  
aug 13

**GOODS THAT PEOPLE WANT TO BUY**  
CHEAP—Canned Strawberries, Raspberries, Peaches, Winslow's Sweet Corn, Green Corn, String and Lima Beans, Tomatoes, Salmon, Lobster and Condensed Milk. The place to buy these cheap is at  
MCKENNEY & SON'S.  
dec 6

**BAKER'S PREMIUM BITTERS,** a permanent cure for Dyspepsia, Nervous debility and all diseases caused by a disordered biliousness of the liver or stomach. Just received a fresh supply at  
WARFIELD & HALL'S,  
sep 23  
Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

**MORE OF THAT CHEAP BLACK BEAN-VER JUST OPENED.**  
IT WILL MAKE CHEAP HANDSOME CLOAKS.  
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.,  
nov 11

**SACHET POWDERS,** Heloise, Violet, Geranium, Jockey Club, Rosetop, and Frangipani. Just received a fresh supply at  
WARFIELD & HALL'S,  
dec 17  
cor. Prince and Fairfax st.

**OLD MAN OF THE MOUNTAIN LIVER PILLS,** the best article now in use for all diseases arising from deranged liver. For sale by  
W. F. CRIGHTON,  
Solo Agent for Alexandria.  
nov 8

**CHOPPING AXES** and AX HELVES, of assorted quality, a large lot just received at 88 King street, corner of Royal. Wholesale and retail.  
J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.  
oct 12

**PRIME EASTERN AND WESTERN FACTORY CHEESE** received to-day by  
J. C. & E. MILBURN.  
dec 30

**SALT HAMS**—A supply of small Hams of choice quality just received by  
J. C. & E. MILBURN.  
jan 5

**SERIAL AND OTHER COLORS IN OCHRE.** Received this a. m.  
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.  
oct 21

**MCKENNEY & SON** have the best 9 cent sugar in town.  
jan 21

**GROCERIES.**  
**W. A. JOHNSON,**  
(Successor to Johnson & Sherwood.)  
GROCERY, LIQUOR, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
Northeast Corner Cameron and Royal streets,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
All orders from the country will receive prompt and careful attention. Jan 25-14

**Meats, Groceries and Produce**  
S. J. REED respectfully invites the attention of the public to his choice stock of MEATS, GROCERIES and PRODUCE at his old stand, No. 74 South Fairfax street, where he will endeavor to please all who favor him with their patronage. He has now on hand 2000 lbs choice FAMILY BACON, all of his own curing, put up expressly for family use, consisting of Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Sides, Shoulders, Jaws, Chins and spare ribs. Pure Leaf Lard in small packages, especially for families. Sausage Meat, Mince Meat, Dried Peaches, Cherries and Apples, Cranberries and Pears, Potatoes and Beans; also fresh ROLL BUTTER, FRESH MEATS and POULTRY, of all kinds. All goods sold cheap for cash. Please give me a call. dec 20

**W. A. JOHNSON,**  
DEALER IN  
GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.  
No. 44 corner Queen and Pitt streets,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
All orders addressed to William A. Johnson, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention. nov 14

**GEORGE MCKENNEY & SON,**  
Dealers in  
CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS,  
ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALZ and BROWN ALZ, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRING and MACKEREL.  
Nos. 166 and 170 KING STREET,  
(Washington Hotel Building),  
Alexandria, Va.  
Orders promptly filled. mh 31-14

**G. W. M. ASHLEY,**  
WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,  
—AND—  
TEA DEALER  
S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,  
Alexandria, Va.  
nov 22-14

**COAL!**  
On the wharf a full stock of COAL, of the best quality, Broken, Egg, Stove, Nut and Cumberland, from the following mines:  
"Cameron Valley Mine."  
Cameron  
"Sanbury"  
Lee  
"Hill & Harris"  
Ocean  
Maryland  
West Virginia Split.  
For sale at the lowest market rates, per ton of 2240 lb.  
Jan 11-14  
W. A. SMOOT.

**KANAWHA SPLIT COAL.**  
We have just received a consignment of the above Coal, to which we invite the attention of consumers. It is pure and free from slate, knots, and is of the best quality. Its combustion is complete, leaving no embers.  
T. J. MEADLEY & CO.,  
No. 100 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
feb 10

**COAL!**  
On the wharf and to arrive a full stock of all kinds of COAL.  
ANTHRAHITE and CUMBERLAND COAL.  
Sold at market rates per ton 2240 lbs.  
Jan 14-14  
W. A. SMOOT.

**COAL!**  
We have now on hand and are constantly receiving at our wharf and store, a full stock of the celebrated and best COALS known to this market. We name in part:  
LYKEN'S VALLEY.  
SHAMOKIN and EAST FRANKLIN LORBERKY RED ASH.  
JOHN'S, from EAGLE VEIN COLLIERY.  
The celebrated CONTINENTAL and HAZEL, from the Germania Colliery, esteemed the best in the market.  
And LEE and STANTON WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, of Cumberland, Broken, Egg and Nut sizes.  
Also, GEORGE GREEN CUMBERLAND COAL.  
Also, RICKY OAK and PINE WOOD.  
Having ample stock, such variety of Coal is kept distinct from that of others, and is constantly prepared for family use. Orders from private, retail and wholesale, and from Messrs. Chesapeake & Griggs, corner King and Royal streets, or at our wharf and store, will be promptly filled.  
T. J. MEADLEY & CO.,  
No. 100 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
by 17

**GREAT BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS.**  
Saturday, January 1st, 1876.  
Dress Goods, Blankets, Flannels, Comforts, Quilts, Shawls, &c., sold regardless of cost to reduce stock. Stock large and must be reduced.  
We do not propose to make any change in our business, but we do contemplate taking account of stock on hand to 1st February, 1876, and from the present time offer all goods at reduced prices as will prove to the purchasing public that we sell as low as any house in this or any other market.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
CLOSING OUT SALE AT COST  
FOR TWO WEEKS,  
As we are about to take stock and wish to REDUCE IT  
before doing so.  
FERGUSON & BROS.,  
dec 27  
90 King street.

**BLANKETS, &c.**—I have received a line of superior California Blankets, of extra quality. These are the best blankets in use, and made of the finest wool. The best of English Canton Flannels, very heavy, and a variety of Cotton Batts, either by the bale or retail.  
J. M. SEVART,  
dec 2

**ALCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.**  
Just received a fresh supply of the above; sold by the yard or in any size to suit, and also by the single plaster, at  
WARFIELD & HALL'S,  
nov 20  
Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

**NEW GOODS.**—Received this day: Hubbell's Prepared Wheat, Green's August Flower, Thompson's Tooth Soap, Pier's Natural Deodorant, Reed's American Shoe Dressing, Durbin's Catarrh Snuff and Pond's Extract of Walrus Oil. [oct 19] JANNEY & CO.

**WRAPPING PAPER.**  
FOR SALE 500 LBS. UNCUT NEWS-PAPER, BLANK ON ONE SIDE. Apply at this office.  
dec 1-14

**BULL'S COUGH SYRUP,** in 50c bottles, containing three times the quantity of the 25c size, for sale by  
JANNEY & CO.  
jan 6

**BOOKS AND STATIONERY.**  
**STATIONERY**  
At FRENCH'S  
150,000 ENVELOPES, all sizes. A job lot just received. The cheapest ever offered in this city. This is a favorable opportunity for merchants and others to buy at very much lower than regular rates.  
BLACK BOOKS, of every description, Pass Books, Memorandums, Time Books, monthly and weekly, Copy books, Composition Books, Butchers' Books, Diaries, Tally Books, Day Books, Ledgers and Journals, half and full bound, CROWN, DEMY and Medium, Ends and Bands, Invoices, Record Books, etc., etc.  
Note and Letter Heads, half sheet; Bill Heads, all sizes; Bank Statements, full line of Notes, Letters and Caps, head cap 12, 14 and 18, Flat Letter, Flat Cap, Folio Post, Striking Paper, Bill Cap, long and broad. New stock at very low rates.  
Letter Copying Books, white and colored paper; Faber's Pencils, red, black blue and green; all the leading styles; Copying Links, French and English; Writing Fluid and Ink of some brand or twenty manufacturers; Oil Board and Bristol Board Printers' Cards, Tracing Cloth, Drawing Paper in rolls, Visiting Cards, English and French Stationery in boxes, Initial Note, fine Gold Pens, fine Pocket Knives, Turkey and Russia Pocket Books, Sticks, Cigars, Bills, Payable and Receivable Books, Cattle Paper, all colors, Marbled Paper, Pasteboards, Blotting Board and everything else to make a complete assortment in the stationery department.

**GEORGE E. FRENCH,**  
No. 95 King street,  
JANUARY, 1876.

**John H. Parrott,**  
No 55 King street,  
(Next to Corrie's Banking House),  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Dealer in  
BLACK BOOKS, WRITING AND WRAP-  
PING PAPER, ENVELOPES, INKS,  
PENS, MUCLAGE, PENHOLD-  
ERS, INKSTANDS, LEAD and  
SLATE PENCILS, SEAL-  
ING WAX, &c., &c.  
Also Engraved Notes, Drafts and Bank Checks, Letter Copying Books, Pens, Brushes and Ink, Sewing Rubber, Gun Bands, Silicate Slates and Books, or anything else wanted in the stationery department, as well as SHEET MUSIC, besides FLOUR SACKS—plain or printed to order. PAKE BAGS of all kinds and sizes. Cheaper Tags, &c., at factory prices.  
Jan 1-14

**W. S. MOORE,**  
MACHINE AND BLACKSMITH,  
No. 66 Union street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT and CAST IRON FENCES, &c.  
Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previously to the war. Jan 21

**PHILIP PARK,**  
PRACTICAL PLUMBER,  
No. 12 South Fairfax street.  
The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the most durable and workmanlike manner. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
JOBBING done at short notice, and by himself, or the most experienced workmen. Jan 24-14

**JANNEY'S OLD DOMINION TONIC BITTERS.**  
These Bitters are the extract of the best and most favorably known Medicinal Herbs, Roots, Bark and Berries, together with sufficient Pure Old Cognac Brandy to preserve them in any climate, and to give them a pleasant and palatable taste. They are constantly recommended in all cases of Dyspepsia, Nervous Headaches, Indigestion and Heartburn, Weakness, Leucorrhoea and Debility, Tapped Condition of the Liver, Obstructed Menstruation and Loss of Appetite. They are also a sure preventive of Ague and Fever. They are pleasant to the taste, and the most delicate stomach will find nothing disagreeable in them. After water courses and in low and marshy districts they will prove a sure safeguard against the diseases incident to such sections of the country. Weak and debilitated females will derive great benefit from their use. In quart bottles, at 51 each. Prepared only by  
JANNEY & CO.,  
No. 145 King street, Alexandria, Va.  
For sale, both wholesale and retail, at their Drug Store, 145 King street, Alexandria, Virginia. sep 28

**MATIN AGUE MIXTURE**  
CHILLS AND FEVER!  
This Mixture contains nothing whatever that can injure the general health, nor is it disagreeable to the taste. It is composed of the finest ingredients, and the patient need not change his ordinary mode of living while taking the remedy. It is a pleasant tonic, and if taken in small quantities before breakfast each day will prevent chills and fever in localities where miasma prevails. It will be found that Martin Ague Mixture excites an appetite and improves the general health. For children as well as adults, it will be found a most effectual and pleasant remedy. Price 51 per bottle.  
Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers,  
JANNEY & CO.,  
145 King st., Alexandria, Va.  
sep 2

**DRY GOODS!** This season  
FALL STOCK AT POPULAR PRICES.  
We have received and offer them at such prices as cannot fail to please.  
Country Merchants who desire to their interest to take advantage of our down prices.  
Large line of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods now on sale, viz: Blankets, Flannels, Counterpanes, Comforts, Cloaks, Shawls, Dress Goods in great variety, Brown and Bleached Domestic goods, low priced, Calicoes, very handsome, the Damascus, Towels, Crash, Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c., &c., together with a great many other goods, making our stock very full and complete.  
D. F. BRASHEAR,  
No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.  
nov 8

**CLARKE'S**  
GALLERY OF FINE ARTS.  
No. 158 King street.  
A large and choice collection of new FINE CHROMO, new style EASEL STATUARY and FLOWER PIECES, fine Gold and Silver Carved PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES, SILVER CARVED GOODS, Gold and Silver Picture Cord, PICTURE FRAMES, the finest line in the city, with many useful and beautiful articles for gift, selected with great care and offered at low prices. [dec 20]

**JUST RECEIVED.**—Another supply of Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes; also Combs of all descriptions at  
W. F. CRIGHTON'S,  
85 King street,  
dec 20

**THIMBLE KEYS** and BOXES, of best quality; a full supply of all sizes at No. 85 King street, corner of Royal. Wholesale and retail.  
J. T. CRIGHTON & SON.  
dec 10

**NOTICE.**  
From December 3d until further notice, the POTOMAC FERRY BOATS will run as follows:  
Except on Sundays: At 9.30, 10.30 and 11.30 a. m., and 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30 and 5.30 p. m.  
On Sundays: At 9.30, 10.30 and 11.30 a. m., and 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30 and 5.30 p. m.  
S. S. HOWISON, Prop. P. F. C.  
dec 3

**MERCHANTS' LINE NEW YORK STEAMSHIPS.**  
The line consist of the following first-class outside steamers:  
E. C. KNIGHT, Capt. J. K. Chichester  
JOHN GIBSON, Capt. W. H. White  
Will leave New York EVERY SATURDAY for this port, and returning, will leave Alexandria EVERY FRIDAY, at 10 o'clock.  
All freight must be on the dock by 9 a. m.  
For freight apply to  
P. B. HOUE,  
Agent, No. 2 Prince street.

**CLYDE'S STEAM LINES**  
Agent in New York,  
J. C. KENYON,  
my 5 226 South st., Pier No. 41 East River.

**PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON.**  
Steamers leave Alexandria EVERY TUESDAY, and leave Philadelphia EVERY SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock m. [dec 14]

This line connects at Alexandria with the O. A. & M. and W. & O. R. R., and at Philadelphia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for Providence and Boston.  
Freight forwarded with promptness and care, free of commissions.  
No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Through to Boston in sixty-four hours. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance guaranteed at less than usual rates.

Agents:  
W. A. REELEY, Alexandria,  
F. M. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia,  
GEO. F. HYDE, Georgetown, D. C.  
jan 8-14

**WARFIELD & HALL, DRUGGISTS**  
COR. PRINCE & FAIRFAX STS.  
Prescriptions a specialty. English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soap; French Parfums Cologne; Macassar, Helyonika, Geranium and Florida Water; Genuine Labret's Hair Restorer; Hair Ointment and Combs; best English Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medicines; Cox's Gelatine; Corn Starch; Sea Moss Farine; Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all articles sold by Druggists at prices as low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere. [dec 1]

**JANNEY & CO.,**  
No. 145 King street, Alexandria, Va.  
Physicians' Prescriptions Carefully Compounded.  
Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to. [dec 19-14]

**W. FRANKLIN CRIGHTON,**  
DEALER IN  
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS, PATENT MEDICINES AND WINDOW GLASS.  
No. 145 King street, Alexandria, Va.  
Physicians' Prescriptions Carefully Compounded.  
Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to. [dec 19-14]

**ESTABLISHED 1792.**  
**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**  
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,  
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, ACIDS, &c., &c.  
Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st.,  
Alexandria, Va.  
aug 2-14

**SOUTHERN**  
**Breakfast Wheat.**  
ACKNOWLEDGED SUPERIOR TO MOST PREPARATIONS OF WHEAT.  
THE EQUAL OF THE BEST.  
PRE-EMINENTLY A CHILD'S FOOD.  
FOR SALE BY GROCERS.  
feb 8-14

**ZEPHYR WORSTEDS**  
AND  
YARNS.  
IN ALL COLORS.  
AT  
C. C. BERRY'S.  
oct 11

**BLACK CASHMERE, &c.**—I have just opened another lot of these superior Black Cashmeres which have given so much satisfaction for the beautiful shades of black and texture; also Cashmeres' TWO-BUTTON BLACK KID GLOVES, the best article in the market. Also Homestead Handkerchiefs, Corsets, &c., &c.  
J. M. STEWART,  
dec 9

**HOLIDAY GOODS.**—Malaga Grapes, cheap. Figs in baskets, layer do. in 3 1/2 and 5 lb. boxes, layer. Valencia and loose Muscatel Raisins, and Seedless do., cheap by  
GEO. MCKENNEY & SON,  
106 and 110 King street.  
dec 4

**TRIMMINGS!** IN TRIMMINGS!  
FRINGES, BINDINGS, LACES, GIMPS AND BUTTONS,  
in great variety, just received at  
C. C. BERRY'S,  
oct 27

**2 HDS PORTO RICO MOLASSES,** suitable for baking, just received; also Prime New Orleans and Porto Rico Molasses, Syrup and Strained Honey, for sale by  
J. C. & E. MILBURN.  
dec 4

**RAISINS,** Currants and Citron, Gelatin and Flavoring Extracts, Cooking Wines and Brandy, for sale by  
R. B. LAWSON & CO.,  
nov 29

**FRESH OATMEAL,** loose and in packages, just received by  
G. W. M. RACKSAY,  
oct 8  
Corner King and St. Asaph st.

**YARMOUTH BLOATERS** dir. from Boston received to-day by  
J. C. & E. MILBURN.  
oct 10

**100 BUSHELS THOMAS TIMOTHY SEED,** PRIME PERKY,  
sep 13  
17 King street.

**1200 POUNDS PRIME VIRGINIA SALT,** BUCKWHEAT FLOUR for sale by [dec 17] DAVY & HARMON.

**NEW NO. 1 MACKEREL,** prime, received to-day by  
J. C. & E. MILBURN.  
sep 14

**COOKING BAKERY** at 22 per gallon; also a fine assortment of Table Wines for sale by  
C. C. BERRY'S,  
GEO. MCKENNEY & SON,  
dec 10

**SALT—1000 sacks G. A. SALT** and 500 sacks FINE SALT on hand and to arrive. For sale by [dec 10] P. B. HOUE.

**BUCK'S WINES** and BRANDIES for sale by W. F. CRIGHTON & SON, 85 King street.  
nov 3

**1876 GREAT PENNSYLVANIA ROUTE TO THE NORTH, WEST & SOUTHWEST.**  
DOUBLE TRACK.  
STEEL RAILS, SPLENDID SCENERY, MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT.  
Trains leave Washington, from depot of BALTIMORE & POTOMAC RAILROAD, corner of Sixth and B streets, as follows:  
For Philadelphia, New York and the East, 9.10 p. m. daily, with Pullman Cars attached. Limited Express of Pullman Parlor Cars 9.25 a. m. daily, except Sunday. For Philadelphia 4.55 p. m. daily, with Pullman Cars attached.  
For Pittsburgh and the West, 6 a. m. daily, with Pullman Cars attached; 7.40 p. m. daily, with Pullman Cars to Chicago, and 11.55 a. m. daily, except Sunday.  
For Philadelphia and the North, 8 a. m. daily, except Sunday, and from 1.45 p. m. daily, except Saturday, with Pullman Cars to Rochester. For Elmira, 11.55 a. m. daily, except Sunday.  
For the South, via Richmond, 8.40 a. m. and 11.35 p. m. daily, except Sunday, and via Lynchburg 7 a. m. and 11.35 p. m. daily, except Sunday.

**LOCAL TRAINS.**  
For Alexandria, 6.7, 8.9, 10 and 11 a. m., and 1.3, 4.25, 5.7, 7 and 11.35 p. m. On Sunday at 8 a. m. and 1 and 6 p. m.  
Trains leave Alexandria for Washington, 6.7, 8.9, 10 and 11 a. m., 1.3, 4.25, 5.7 and 7 p. m. On Sunday at 6 and 10 a. m., and 5 p. m.  
Tickets and information can be procured at principal railroad stations and ticket offices throughout the country.  
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General Manager. Jan 1

**W. C. VIRG. MIDLAND & G. S. R. R.**  
DOUBLE DAILY TRAINS BETWEEN BALTIMORE AND ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Connecting SUNDAY, 7.00 p. m., December 18th, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

SOUTH BOUND.	Mail Train.	Express.
Leave Baltimore.....	5.10 a. m.	10.20 p. m.
" Washington.....	8.00 "	11.38 "
" Alexandria.....	8.35 "	12.30 a. m.
" Gordonsville.....	1.10 p. m.	1.15 "
" Charlottesville.....	2.10 "	9.51 "
Arrive at Lynchburg.....	5	